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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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For: SEAL CONSTRUCTION FOR FUEL CELL

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
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Date: **JUNE 1, 2006**

Sir:

This paper is in reply to the outstanding Office Action dated May 11, 2006.

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